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601 Service Codes and Descriptions

Service

Code Service Description

HEARING AID SERVICES

Instrument Testing

92592	Hearing aid check; monaural (provider was not the original dispenser and the instrument is
	older than one year) (listening check of the instrument plus sound field testing of the
	instrument on the patient; may or may not be performed together with a diagnostic evaluation)
92593	binaural
92594	Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid; monaural (real ear measurement (REM) objective
	test of hearing instrument performance in the patient's ear as compared to a target response and electroacoustical assessment of the performance evaluation of the hearing instrument as
	compared to its original factory specifications)
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binaural 92595

Office Visits for Evaluation and Management Services

99499 Unlisted evaluation and management service (up to a maximum of six services per member per date of service). Providers may submit a prior authorization request pursuant to 130 CMR 450.144(A) for members under 21 for units in excess of six per member per date of service.

Refitting Services/Other Professional Services

V5011 Fitting/orientation/checking of hearing aid

Hearing Aid Purchases-Monaural

V5030	Hearing aid, monaural, body worn, air conduction (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
V5040	Hearing aid, monaural, body worn, bone conduction (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
V5050	Hearing aid, monaural, in the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
V5060	Hearing aid, monaural, behind the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
V5246	Hearing aid, digitally programmable analog, monaural, ITE (in the ear) (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500)				
	(I.C.)				
V5247	Hearing aid, digitally programmable analog, monaural, BTE (behind the ear) (P.A. if cost exceeds				
	\$500) (I.C.)				
V5256	Hearing aid, digital, monaural, ITE (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
V5257	Hearing aid, digital, monaural, BTE (P.A. if cost exceeds \$500) (I.C.)				
	Hearing Aid Purchases_Ringural				

Hearing Aid Purchases-Binaural

V5130	Binaural, in the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
V5140	Binaural, behind the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
V5150	Binaural, glasses (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
V5252	Hearing aid digitally programmable binaural ITE (P A if cost exceeds \$1 000) (I C)

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- V5253 Hearing aid, digitally programmable, binaural, BTE (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5260 Hearing aid, digital, binaural, ITE (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5261 Hearing aid, digital, binaural, BTE (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)

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Hearing Aid Purchases-CROS and BICROS

- V5170 Hearing aid, CROS, in the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5180 Hearing aid, CROS, behind the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5190 Hearing aid, CROS, glasses (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5210 Hearing aid, BICROS, in the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5220 Hearing aid, BICROS, behind the ear (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)
- V5230 Hearing aid, BICROS, glasses (P.A. if cost exceeds \$1,000) (I.C.)

Hearing Aid Purchases-Other

- V5070 Glasses, air conduction (I.C.)
- V5080 Glasses, bone conduction (I.C.)
- V5100 Hearing aid, bilateral, body worn (I.C.)
- Assistive listening device, not otherwise specified (I.C.) (Use this code only for pocket-talkers.) V5274
- V5298 Hearing aid, not otherwise classified (P.A.) (I.C.)

Hearing Aid Repairs, Accessories, and Related Services

- V5014 Repair/modification of a hearing aid (I.C.)
- V5264 Ear mold/insert, not disposable, any type (I.C.)
- V5265 Ear mold/insert, disposable, any type (I.C.)
- Battery for use in hearing device (per battery) V5266
- V5267 Hearing aid supplies/accessories (I.C.)
- V5275 Ear impression, each
- V5299 Hearing service, miscellaneous (P.A.) (I.C.)

Hearing Aid Dispensing Fees

- V5160 Dispensing fee, binaural
- Dispensing fee, CROS V5200
- Dispensing fee, BICROS V5240
- Dispensing fee, monaural hearing aid, any type V5241